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Gentlemen:

Our Industrial Relations work with thousands of firms and with thousands of people in New Jersey, requires a thorough understanding of all-over, as well as of specific circumstances of Negroes in our Labor Market. One of the objectives of our broader program, is to stimulate Negro youth to diligently apply themselves to training in or out of school, and to address themselves properly to the hard grind of "working-up" to better job opportunities. Because of a general lack of certain definite information, we are finding it difficult to do an educational job to overcome the frustration among Negroes that results from discrimination.

We do not charge any group, communistic, or otherwise, of using the problems of discrimination to aggravate Negro Youth; discrimination has enough evil effects without other help. However, we do charge ourselves with the responsibility of combatting discrimination and its results, and are extremely interested in encouraging Negro youth to plan their vocational careers, get good training, and put their best foot forward constantly. We need up-to-date facts to support our position, facts that can stand out as encouragement to Negro youth to stay in school, to study, and to believe that American democracy includes them too. In other words, we need to be able to prove to what extent Negroes have been accepted, on the basis of qualifications, in employment, above the menial level, in white collar jobs and jobs with responsibility.

Will you help us develop the information that will enable us to continue this work, by giving us the data asked for below? This is not intended to be used in any way whatsoever as a basis for charging anyone with discrimination, but rather to assess the positive values present at this time in our State. If you wish any or all information you give to be kept completely confidential, we shall do so. Regardless of any such indication, information you give will not be passed beyond this office in any way in which your firm can be identified without your permission.

Yours truly,
Roy E. Morris
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Industrial Relations Secretary

1. Do you employ Negroes?

Yes

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No

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2. Will you list below some of the jobs in which they have been employed successfully? (Please keep in mind our interest in pointing up success of Negroes in skilled and white collar jobs).

3. If you have had any special experiences that would prove interesting or of value to us in our work, would you please indicate this here so that a representative of the New Jersey Urban League might get in touch with you for fuller details?

Nothing special

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Yes, please have a representative get in touch with _____

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Please indicate:

Name of Organization

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